

HBID ARREST NUMBER: 14-0104
DEFENDANT(S) NAME
DOB
Eatmon, Saul David
01/16/75

6801 Hollywood Blvd. #169 Hollywood, Ca. 90028 (323) 465-

ARREST CODE DATE TIME
41.27 (c) 02/05/14 1150
L.A.M.C. Drinking Hours

in public

OFFICER: Ramirez, H. #139 OFFICER: Trujillo, R. #136

SOURCE OF ACTIVITY:

The above officers were working as contracted, uniformed security officers for the Hollywood Business Improvement District (H.B.I.D.) / Andrews International 6801 Hollywood Boulevard Hollywood, CA. 90028 (323) 465-0122.

INVESTIGATION:

On Wednesday, February 05, 2014, at approximately 1145 hours, my partner (Officer Trujillo #136) and I (Officer Ramirez #139) were dispatched to 6933 Hollywood Boulevard (Madame Tussauds) regarding a M/W/A who was harassing and soliciting tourist for money and was very abrasive toward them in Madame Tussauds property.

Upon our arrival, we made contact with the reporting party by the name of Gabby (Madame Tussauds employee). Gabby pointed out the subject who was leaning up against a metal post directly in front of Madame Tussauds (on the public sidewalk). As I looked in the direction of the M/W/A, I recognized him from previous arrests as; Eatmon, Saul David D.O.B. 01/15/75. Furthermore, I noticed that Eatmon was holding a plastic cup (approximate 8 ounce) in his left hand. I was at an approximate distance of 20 feet from Eatmon and had a clear and unobstructed view. I noticed that the plastic cup contained a dark colored liquid substance. I saw Eatmon bring the cup to his lips and drink from it.

I informed Gabby that since the subject was no longer on her property we could not arrest him for trespassing. However, we could advised him of the 24 hour trespassing municipal code, 41.24 (d) and she agreed. As we walked up to Eatmon, I informed him of our contact and advised him per 41.24 LAMC. Eatmon said that he wasn't trespassing and was just relaxing. As he spoke, I

immediately smelled the strong odor of an alcoholic beverage emitting from his breath/person.

I then obtained the cup from his left hand and immediately smelled a strong odor of an unknown type alcoholic beverage emitting form the container. I asked him what he was drinking and he responded "There's no rum in there". It has been my experience that often times "would be drinkers" pour the alcoholic beverages into other containers to avoid detection from law enforcement / H.B.I.D. officers. Based on my observations, Eatmon was placed under arrest per 837 P.C./41.27 (c) LAMC

ARREST:

We advised Eatmon that we were placing him under "Private Person's Arrest", as per 837 Penal Code – (Private Person's Arrest – Authority To Arrest / see attached form) for 41.27 (c) Los Angeles Municipal Code – (Drinking in public). Eatmon was then handcuffed (adjusted /double locked).

B.I.D. Officer Jacquez #121 and B.I.D. Sergeant Patton #114 responded to our location for transportation. Officer Trujillo escorted Eatmon to the B.I.D. vehicle # 1. Eatmon was seat belted in the left rear passenger seat and his seatbelt was adjusted.

ADDITIONAL:

Eatmon has been arrested **five (5)** prior times by B.I.D. Officers at the same location; *Madame Tussauds 6933 Hollywood Boulevard* as follows;

- 1). 12/31/13 Chg: 41.27 (c) LAMC = Drinking in public
- 2). 01/10/14 Chg: 41.24 (d) LAMC = Trespassing
- 3). 01/11/14 Chg: 41.27 (c) LAMC = Drinking in public
- 4). 01/12/14 Chg: 370 P.C. = Public nuisance
- 5). 01/23/14 Chg: 41.24 (d) LAMC = Trespassing

CITE and RELEASE:

Jacquez and Patton transported Eatmon to Hollywood/Highland 6801 Hollywood Boulevard. Eatmon's identification was then confirmed by LAPD/Hollywood Division Officer Clark #41256, via C.L.E.T.S. (California Law Enforcement Telecommunication). Eatmon was issued a Release From Custody citation (RFC# B09069) for the listed violation and was ordered to appear at the Metropolitan Court House, 1945 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, 90007, on 03/24/2014, at 0830 Hours with the approval of the Watch Commander Sergeant Legaspi.

EVIDENCE:

The suspected alcoholic beverage and its container was disposed at the scene in the presence of Eatmon by Officer Jacquez.

PICTURE(S):



INJURY AND MEDICAL TREATMENT:

None reported or observed

MISCELLANEOUS:

Eatmon stated that he purchased the "rum" from a Romans' liquor (1645 La Brea Avenue).